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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANTS: Bossemeyer

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SERIAL NO.: 09 436,296

GROUP:

OFFICE OF PETITIONS

FILED: PT 624,9760

CASE NO.: AMT-9707C1

Law Offices of Dale B. Halling  
24 S. Weber, Suite 311  
Colorado Springs, CO 80903

June 26, 2003

**PETITION TO WITHDRAW HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT**

Honorable Commissioner of  
Patents and Trademarks  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

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**Remarks**

The following are the facts surrounding this case.

**Facts**

1. A continuation, under CFR 37 1.53(b), of US Serial No. 09/436,296 (Issued as USPN 6,249,760 B1 Jun 19, 2001) was filed on March 23, 2001. A preliminary amendment was also enclosed. Copies enclosed

2. The continuation was filed using US Express Mail. The mailing label number was EL684905150US. The continuation included a certificate of Express mail and a copy of the Express Mail label is enclosed. The date on the Express mail label clearly show the date 3/23/01. A copy of the United States Postal Service report shows the package was delivered on march 26, 2001.

3. On June 10, 2002 a status request was sent from the office. This Office received no reply from the PTO. A check with the correspondence address, SBC-Bruce Stuckman, confirms they also did not receive a response from this status request.

4. On February 11, 2003 another status request was faxed to the PTO. This Office received no reply from the PTO. A check with the correspondence address, SBC-Bruce Stuckman, confirms they also did not receive a response from this status request.

5. Ms. Laura Hansen made numerous phone calls to the PTO. Finally, she was able to track down someone in May of 2003 at the PTO who stated the case had been abandoned and the correspondence had been sent to Mr. Bruce Stuckman at SBC.

6. I call Mr. Bruce Stuckman at SBC and with the help of his assistant we determined that SBC also had not received any correspondence in the case.

#### Request for Relief

The applicant respectfully requests that:

1. The case be revived with a filing date of March 23, 2001.
2. Any outstanding issues related to this case be faxed to:

Dale B. Halling  
719-447-9815

3. The all future correspondence be sent to:

Dale B. Halling  
24 S. Weber, Ste 311  
Colorado Springs, CO 80903

Attachments

Copies of the above referenced correspondence is enclosed, except that the original application, preliminary amendment and declaration are not enclosed. If they are required, the applicant would be happy to forward these papers.

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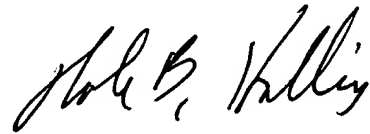
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Respectfully submitted,

(Bossemeyer)

By



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I hereby certify that a Petition to Withdraw Holding of Abandonment is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on:

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Dale B. Halling  
Signature



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Our Docket No.: AMT-9707C1  
March 23, 2001

CONTINUED PROSECUTION APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL  
UNDER 36 CFR 1.53 (b)

Honorable Commissioner of  
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Dear Sir:

This is a request for filing a Continued Prosecution Application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) of application serial Number 09/436,296 filed November 8, 1999, entitled "Speech Reference Enrollment Method"

Enclosed are:

- ☒ 31 pages specification, 1 page of Abstract, and 15 sheet(s) of Drawings.
- ☒ The prior application is assigned of record to Ameritech Corporation.
- ☒ Copy of Declaration combined with Power of Attorney
- ☒ A preliminary amendment is enclosed to be entered in the new application after a filing date has been granted.
- ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement with Copies of references..
- ☒ The filing fee is calculated below:

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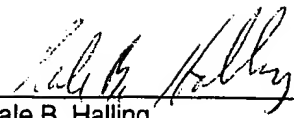
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☒ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:  
--This is a ☒ continuation          division of copending US application Serial No. 09/436,296, filed on 11/8/99, which application is hereby incorporated by reference herein."



Please forward all correspondence to:

Bruce Stuckman  
SBC Technology Resources, Inc.  
9505 Arboretum Blvd., 9<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Austin, TX 78759

  
Dale B. Halling  
Attorney/Agent for Applicants

Registration No. 38,170  
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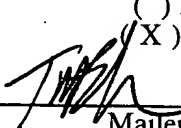
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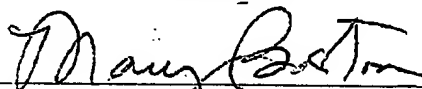
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